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Sir:

1. This is a Request for filing a new Patent Application (Design Utility) entitled:2. (Complete) Title: **NEW NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCES ENCODING THE PTSH GENE**

without a filing fee or Oath/Declaration but for which is enclosed the following:

3. Abstract 1 page(s).4. 31 Pages of Specification (only spec. and claims); Specification in non-English language6. 18 Numbered claim(s); and7. Drawings: 3 sheet(s) 1 set informal; formal of size: A4 11"9. **DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
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10. **FOREIGN** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in GERMANY

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11. (No.) Certified copy (copies): attached; previously filed (date) _____ in U.S. Application No. 1 filed on _____12. This is a reissue of Patent No. _____13. See top first page re prior Provisional, National, International application(s) (X box only if info is there and do not complete corresponding item 14 or 15.)14. **Amend the specification** by inserting before the first line -- This is a Continuation-in-Part Divisional Continuation Substitute Application (MPEP 201.09) of:14(a) National Appln. No. 1 filed -- (M#) which14(b) International Appln. No. PCT/ filed -- (M#) which
designated the U.S., and that International Application was was not published under PCT Article 21(2) in English.--15. **Amend the specification** by inserting before the first line: --This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/_____, filed _____.--16. Extension to date: concurrently filed not needed previously filed17. Small Entity Status is claimed (pre-filing confirmation required)17(a) Attached: (No.) Small Entity Statement(s). (Since 9/8/00 Small Entity Statement not essential to make claim)17(b) See NONPUBLICATION REQUEST under Rule 213(a) attached (PAT-258)

18. Prior application is assigned to

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19. Attached:20. This application is made by the following named inventor(s) (Double check instructions for accuracy.):
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